



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Thomas F. Bailey

Serial No.: 10/725,124

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**For: METHODS AND APPARATUS
TO CONTROL DOWNHOLE
TOOLS**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0173.C1/WBP, the fee of \$434.00 for addition claims fees.